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Re: Extension of Interim Access Agreement for Placement of Soil From
Vasquez Boulevard/I-70 Superfund on Asarco Globe Plant Site

Dear Matt:

Pursuant to our discussions, this letter serves as Asarco's agreement to extend until May 1, 2004 the period in which EPA and its contractors may place at the ASARCO Incorporated Globe Plant site soil removed from residential yards as part of the ongoing remedial actions at the Vasquez Boulevard/I-70 Superfund site. Such an extension is allowed by mutual agreement under the terms of the "Voluntary Consent to Access Property Interim Agreement" signed by Asarco on March 29, 2004 and by EPA on April 8, 2004. You have verbally indicated to me that EPA is interested in extending the interim agreement. All other terms of the interim agreement continue to apply.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Tom Aldrich', is written over a horizontal line.

Tom Aldrich
Vice President, Environmental